

FISCAL NOTE

HB 90 - SB 1612

March 19, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the annual inspection of all for-hire motor vehicles that accommodate eight or more passengers. Requires that vehicles carry a minimum of one million dollars in liability insurance. Violations are punishable as a Class B misdemeanor.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

**Increase State Revenues – \$546,100 Recurring
\$405,600 One-Time**

**Increase State Expenditures – \$546,100 Recurring
\$405,600 One-Time**

Increase Local Govt. Revenues – Not Significant

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- Approximately 2,250 annual inspections will be conducted by the Department of Safety.
- An increase in one-time and recurring state expenditures for eight positions and related operational expenses to conduct annual inspections.
- The Department of Safety will charge an inspection fee. In the first year the fee will be set in an amount to cover the one-time start-up costs as well as recurring expenditures. In the second and subsequent years the fee will be set in an amount to cover recurring expenditures.
- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions for local governments to experience any significant increase in revenues or expenditures.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director